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an absorbent body arranged between the surface layers and comprising edges in the longitudinal direction and in the transverse direction,

liquid barriers extending in the longitudinal direction arranged essentially parallel to those edges of the product running in the longitudinal direction, the liquid barriers each having a free edge,

side flaps extending in the longitudinal direction outside the liquid barriers and comprising parts of at least one of the surface layers, and

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